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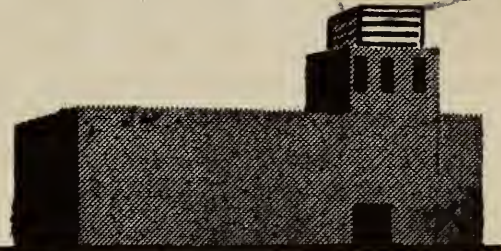
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# COLD STORAGE REPORT

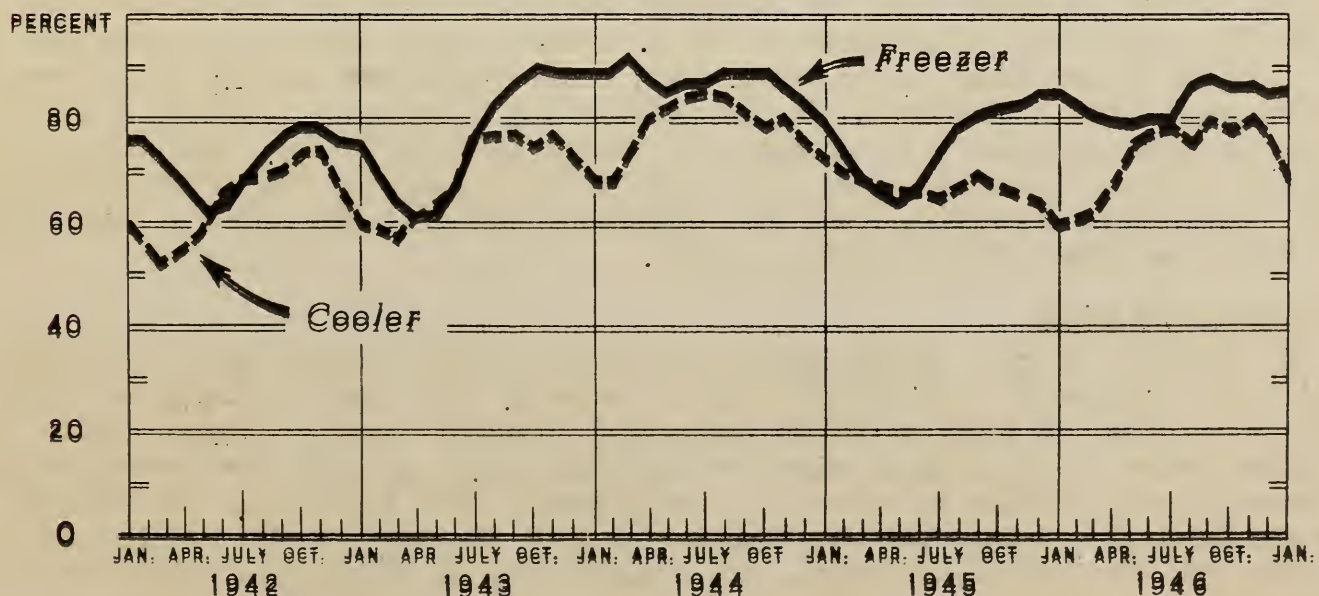
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## OCCUPANCY OF PUBLIC COLD-STORAGE WAREHOUSES, 1942-47





Freezer occupancy rises; cooler occupancy declines

Public freezers were 86 percent occupied on January 1. This occupancy represented an increase of 1 point since December 1. Public cooler occupancy on the other hand declined 8 points during December and stood at 69 percent on January 1. The December rise in freezer occupancy when compared with the five-year average was contra-seasonal by 2 points. However, an increase in freezer occupancy occurred during December of 1940 and 1941, the only two years in which occupancy data were compiled prior to the war. The decline in cooler occupancy during December, 1946 was equal to the record drop of December, 1940. Coolers on January 1, nevertheless were still more nearly full than average. Private warehouse occupancy showed no change during December, while used storage space in meat-packing plant coolers was 8 points nearer capacity than on December 1. Meatpacking plant freezer occupancy on the other hand dropped during the month. No unusually high occupancy was recorded in any of the 30 major city storage areas in the country. Freezers, however, were operating at more than 90 percent of capacity in half of those same cities.

Net decline in storage stocks occurs during December

A net withdrawal from storage of some 317 million pounds occurred during December. Most of this decrease was due to the removal from storage of some 6 million bushels of apples and almost a million cases of shell eggs. Nuts, pork and lard moved into coolers in sizable quantities during December. Although stocks of frozen fruits and vegetables, cream, butter and eggs showed significant declines during December, there was a total net in-movement of 15 million pounds of all freezer commodities. Freezer meat and poultry reserves which gained 111 million pounds during December accounted mainly for the increased weight in freezers.

Fruits and vegetables move out of storage

Fresh fruits began to move seasonally out of cold storage during December. Apple holdings showed a net change of 6 million bushels bringing January 1 stocks to 27 million bushels. The December drop in apple holdings was about a million bushels greater than the average December drop. Apples still in storage on January 1, however, were about 2 million bushels above average January 1 stocks. The December change in pear holdings and the pear reserves left in store on January 1 were about normal for that date. Storage stocks of nuts and nutmeats showed a net increase during December.

A net reduction of 20 million pounds of frozen fruits from December 1 to January 1 put January 1 holdings at some 478 million pounds. This reduction was 7 million pounds greater than the five-year average reduction and 19 million pounds greater than the drop in December of 1945. Frozen apple stocks of 55 million pounds were slightly below those of January, 1946, even though the 1946-47 apple crop was greatly above that of 1945-46. The 14 million pound decline in frozen vegetable stocks was also greater than average and during December 1945. Some 337 million pounds of vegetables remained in cold storage on January 1. The net withdrawal of frozen peas during December, 1946 was especially significant, being a third heavier than during December of the previous year.

Meat stocks increase

An increase in meat stocks amounting to 136 million pounds during December brought the January 1 total to 537 million pounds. This net accumulation during December was some 12 million pounds below the December average in-movement. The net in-movement of 43 million pounds of beef was about 4 times the normal December increase and was greatly in excess of the December 1946 increase. The December increase in pork stocks, which put January 1 pork reserves at 272 million pounds was only half the normal movement. The in-movement of 22 million pounds of lard and rendered pork fat during December was the normal seasonal increase.



Stocks of all meat items on January 1 were below average; beef was 10 million pounds below, pork 161 million pounds below, lamb and mutton 6 million pounds below, edible offal 25 million pounds below average, while lard stocks lacked 61 million pounds of equalling the 1942-46 average.

#### Poultry stocks rise; dairy products, eggs decline

Frozen poultry in storage on January 1 totalled 313 million pounds--17 million pounds above the previous month, but 57 million pounds below the January record-breaking stocks in 1946. Most of the December poultry gain was reflected in the increased storage reserves of turkeys amounting to about 13 million pounds. This increase in turkeys, however, was some 4 million pounds below the 1942-46 average for December. Shell egg holdings dropped 942,000 cases during December, bringing January 1 stocks to 775,000 cases. The out-movement in frozen eggs during December, which was only two-thirds the average December movement, left 104 million pounds in storage on January 1.

Except for cheese, stored dairy products followed the normal pattern with net withdrawals during December. The reduction in cream stocks amounted to 19 million pounds which was 5 times the average December decrease. The net drop in butter holdings was less than normal, but the 28 million pounds left in storage on January 1 were only one-third average January 1 stocks. Storage reserves of cheese increased during December. This was the second time on record that cheese stocks have accumulated during December. This increase, though slight, was in evidence rather generally throughout the United States. Total cheese on January 1 amounted to 124 million pounds, about 1 million pounds in excess of December 1 stocks.

#### Frozen fish holdings decrease during December

Holdings of frozen fish and shell fish decreased 5.6 million pounds during December and stood at 152.9 million pounds on January 1. Stocks of frozen salt water fish of 120 million pounds decreased 7 million pounds from last month; fresh water fish holdings increased 2 million pounds to reach a total of 12.5 million pounds, while frozen shell fish, with a net out-of-store movement of less than a million pounds, stood at 20 million pounds. The principal frozen fishery products in store were miscellaneous fillets, salmon, whiting, halibut, sable fish, and shrimp which represented a little more than two-thirds of total frozen fishery products in store.

#### Storage outlook

Freezer occupancy which was the second highest of any January on record--3 points below the record-breaking year of 1944--normally drops 11 points before the freezer low is reached about May 1. Frozen fruits and vegetables, cream, butter, frozen egg and fish stocks will probably decrease during the next four or five months. Meat stocks have about two months normal in-movement before the seasonal reduction in reserves begins, while poultry holdings have nearly reached that seasonal peak.

January cooler occupancy of 69 percent--second only to the January record high of 1945--has only one or two months to decline, based on past records, before the Spring rise in cooler occupancy, due to the in-movement of shell eggs. The average January-February cooler occupancy drop is only about 2 points. Fresh fruits and cheese are the major cooler commodities to be withdrawn in the next three months. The in-movement of the new shell egg crop should begin during February or March. Cooler meats and lard reserves will probably accumulate some during January and February.

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Data for this report are collected from public, private, and semi-private warehouses, apple houses, and meat-packing plants. Commodities in space owned or leased and operated by the armed services are not reported.  
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**PUBLIC COLD-STORAGE WAREHOUSES**  
 (APPLE HOUSES EXCLUDED)  
 NET PILING SPACE AND PERCENTAGE OF SPACE OCCUPIED  
 JANUARY 1, 1947

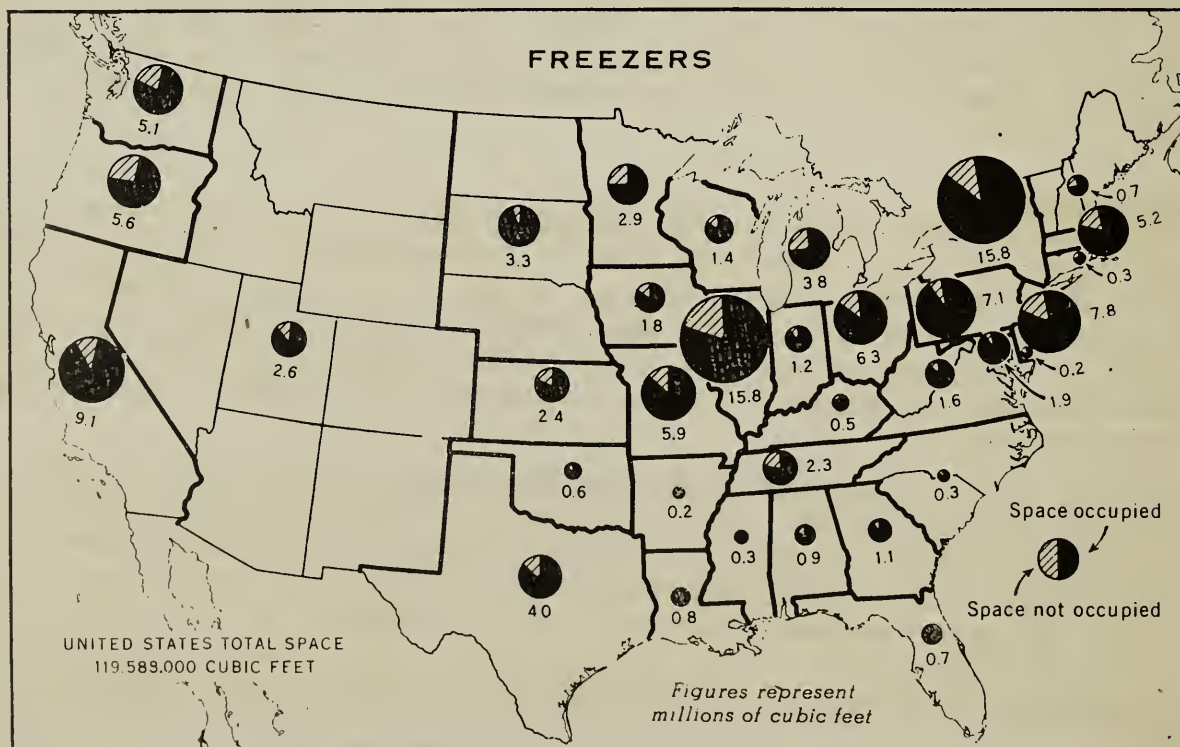
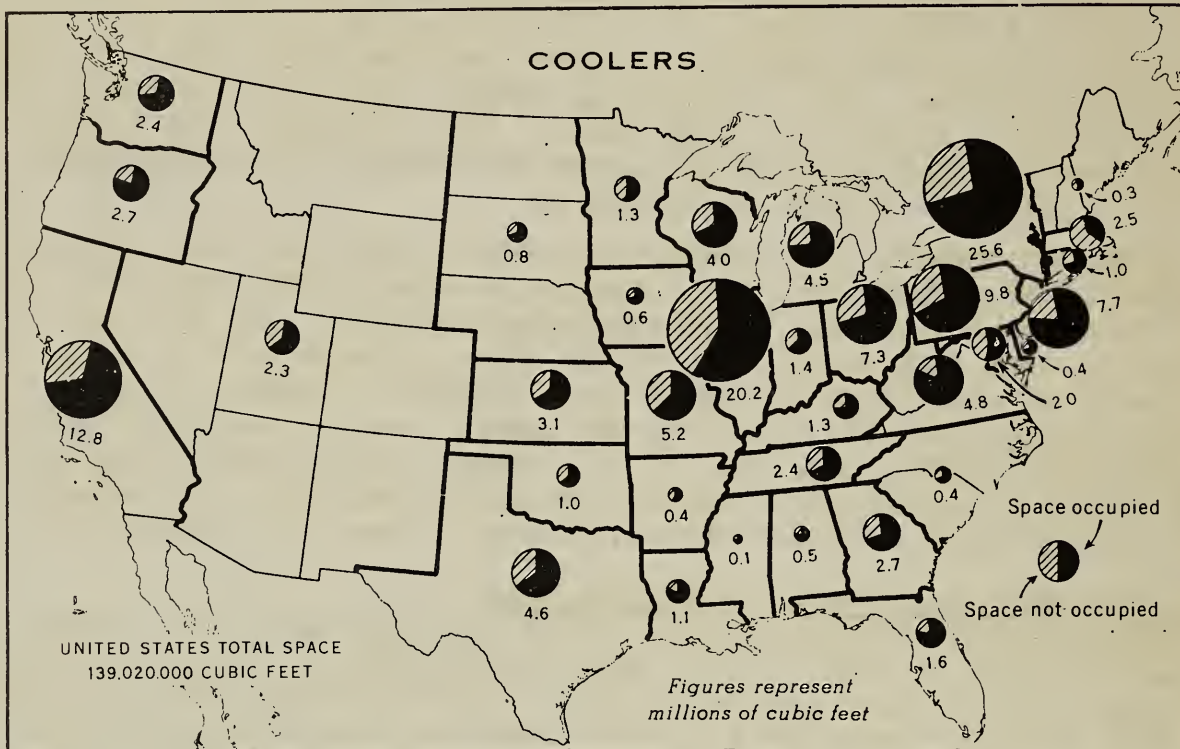




Table 1. — Public cold storage warehouses  
(Apple houses excluded)

Net piling space and percentage of space occupied

State or Geographic Region	Net piling space 1/		Percentage of space occupied 2/							
			Jan. 1, 5-yr. 3/							
			av. 1942-46		Jan. 1, 1946		Dec. 1, 1946		Jan. 1, 1947	
	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer
	("000" cu. ft.)		Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.
Maine, N. H. and Vt.....	346	672	70	77	74	76	48	78	60	76
Massachusetts.....	2,548	5,234	60	80	52	89	44	85	39	83
R. I. and Connecticut.....	967	307	62	83	59	91	85	73	72	80
NEW ENGLAND.....	3,861	6,213	61	80	55	88	53	84	47	82
New York.....	25,553	15,818	66	84	54	90	77	90	73	80
New Jersey.....	7,704	7,786	79	84	73	95	87	97	79	84
Pennsylvania.....	9,822	7,077	55	86	64	92	75	94	70	73
MIDDLE ATLANTIC.....	43,079	30,681	69	85	61	92	79	93	74	72
Ohio.....	7,285	6,262	66	85	62	88	81	89	72	87
Indiana.....	1,433	1,192	63	77	55	94	82	92	67	89
Illinois.....	20,248	15,832	55	82	63	81	74	79	60	71
Michigan.....	4,472	3,763	69	90	65	88	84	87	75	75
Wisconsin.....	4,043	1,422	72	80	71	85	73	90	70	85
EAST NORTH CENTRAL.....	37,481	28,482	62	84	64	84	77	83	67	82
Minnesota.....	1,338	2,927	57	31	70	79	63	77	52	75
Iowa.....	616	1,750	40	73	29	82	75	86	71	86
Missouri.....	5,227	5,933	60	74	59	81	77	83	64	87
Dakotas and Nebraska.....	758	3,335	50	83	55	83	80	88	69	93
Kansas.....	3,057	2,434	52	79	38	73	77	88	67	81
WEST NORTH CENTRAL.....	10,926	16,379	56	72	52	81	76	81	64	85
Delaware.....	377	229	61	80	55	86	73	81	74	79
Maryland and D. C.....	2,014	1,854	55	29	40	95	72	96	56	95
Virginia and West Va.....	4,832	1,561	70	31	48	87	85	89	84	91
No. & So. Carolina.....	408	305	60	83	73	69	73	85	72	86
Georgia.....	2,730	1,090	65	76	67	75	76	73	71	91
Florida.....	1,630	721	66	36	71	90	81	89	80	100
SOUTH ATLANTIC.....	11,921	5,780	66	33	53	39	80	80	74	71
Kentucky.....	1,323	510	65	35	58	35	81	77	75	87
Tennessee.....	2,361	2,330	63	77	73	44	76	75	65	77
Alabama.....	545	850	72	82	82	87	87	80	73	87
Mississippi.....	110	347	83	75	100	89	37	100	100	100
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL.....	4,339	4,037	64	70	72	62	73	73	72	73
Arkansas.....	396	249	65	79	74	73	53	88	59	83
Louisiana.....	1,089	792	66	33	79	97	35	96	32	95
Oklahoma.....	1,036	601	53	73	23	70	64	88	64	82
Texas.....	4,553	3,965	66	76	62	86	73	80	65	87
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL.....	7,074	5,607	64	78	59	85	73	83	67	80
MOUNTAIN.....	2,268	2,602	59	88	52	94	71	95	63	88
Washington.....	2,415	5,091	63	74	64	81	78	83	70	77
Oregon.....	2,723	5,607	43	63	51	60	70	75	77	74
California.....	12,793	9,108	65	84	64	85	77	87	69	89
PACIFIC.....	17,921	19,826	62	75	63	76	78	83	70	82
UNITED STATES 4/.....	139,020	119,588	64	81	60	85	77	85	69	86

1/ Space Survey of October 1, 1945.

2/ Percentage for the periods covered are comparable.

3/ Preliminary.

4/ Weighted average of the occupancy for geographic regions based on the corresponding net piling space.

# COLD-STORAGE WAREHOUSES OTHER THAN PUBLIC NET PILING SPACE AND PERCENTAGE OF SPACE OCCUPIED

JANUARY 1, 1947

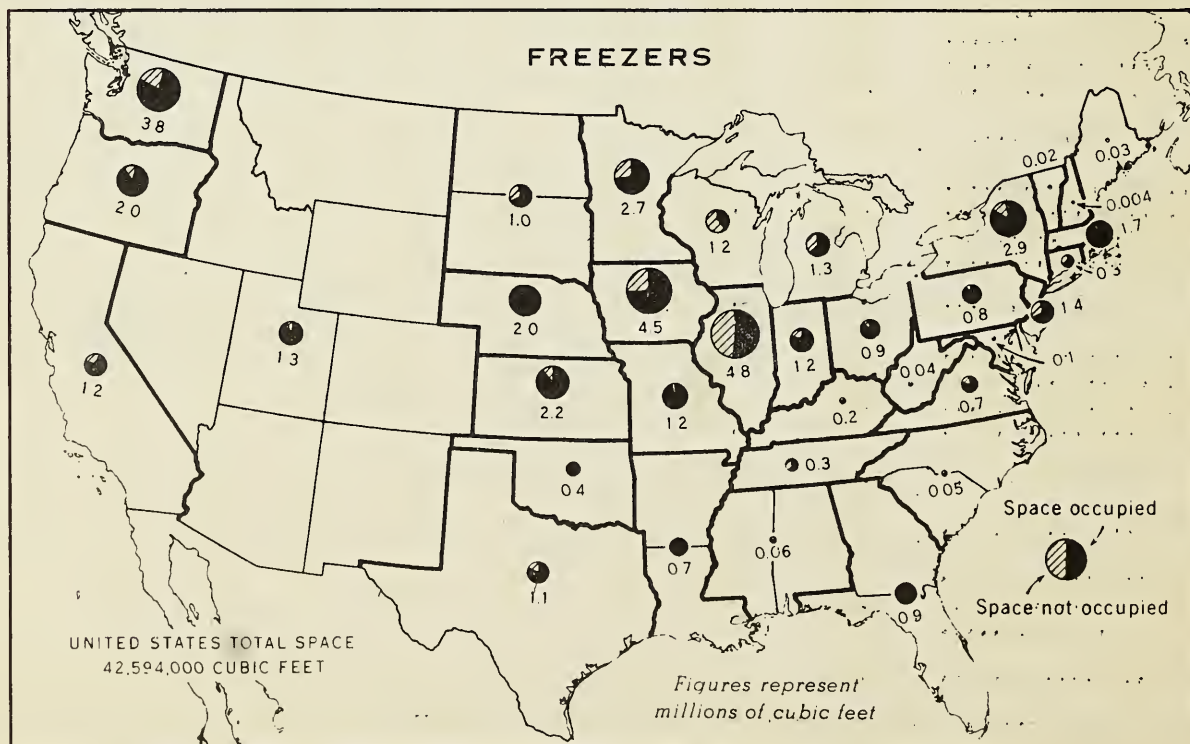
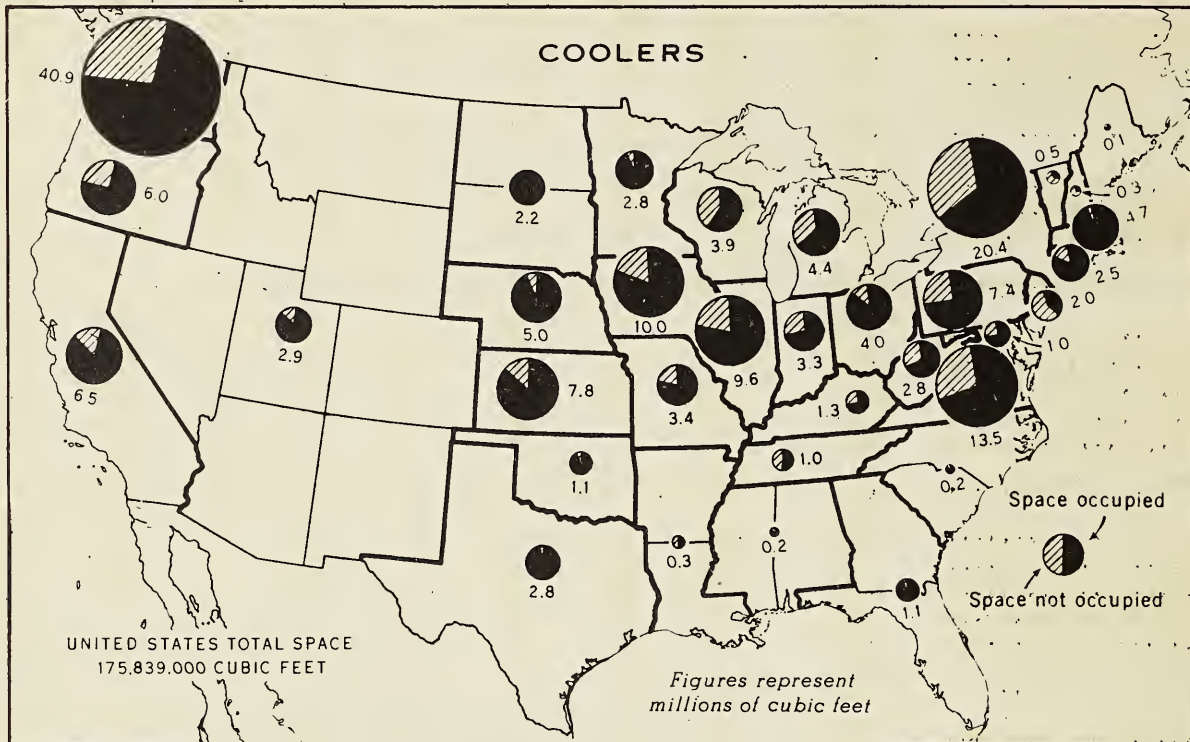




Table 2. — Private, semi-private warehouses and meat-packing plants  
(Apple houses excluded)

Net piling space and percentage of space occupied January 1, 1947

State or Geographic Region	Private and semi-private warehouses				Meat-packing establishments			
	Net piling space 1/		Space Occupied		Net piling space 1/		Space Occupied	
	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer
	("000" cu. ft.)		Pct.		("000" cu. ft.)		Pct.	
NEW ENGLAND.....	492	1,210	63	66	2,168	776	29	28
New York.....	1,774	1,570	61	90	4,263	454	62	61
New Jersey.....	221	753	100	91	454	602	96	64
Pennsylvania.....	2,103	545	68	100	1,974	199	83	86
MIDDLE ATLANTIC.....	4,098	2,868	78	90	6,691	1,255	75	67
Ohio.....	660	532	71	91	2,577	342	94	92
Indiana.....	298	241	100	95	2,479	907	78	61
Illinois.....	564	210	99	97	7,216	4,532	76	43
Michigan.....	1,653	891	67	59	1,234	395	93	100
Wisconsin.....	2,296	238	80	75	1,641	916	30	30
EAST NORTH CENTRAL.....	5,471	2,112	76	82	15,147	7,092	76	47
Minnesota.....	265	767	100	71	2,530	1,899	93	75
Iowa.....	725	816	91	96	9,263	3,647	80	70
Missouri.....	42	54	100	100	2,243	1,071	82	100
Mo. & So. Dak. & Nebr.....	639	707	100	100	6,570	2,218	96	81
Kansas.....	825	423	62	87	6,892	1,818	88	89
WEST NORTH CENTRAL.....	2,496	2,767	80	87	27,498	10,653	88	80
Del. Md. Va. & W. Va.....	76	369	100	75	1,151	68	89	93
NC., SC., Ga. & Fla.....	120	450	100	100	1,190	474	96	100
SOUTH ATLANTIC.....	196	819	100	84	2,281	537	22	100
Kentucky & Tennessee.....	207	104	100	100	1,735	372	79	61
Alabama & Mississippi.....	49	19	76	79	138	37	94	100
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL.....	256	123	84	86	1,873	409	80	63
Ark., La. & Oklahoma.....	124	641	-	-	1,072	406	94	100
Texas.....	312	71	88	-	2,453	1,039	97	82
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL.....	436	712	88	-	3,525	1,495	27	82
Mont. Idaho, Wyo. & Colo....	173	294	97	68	1,491	481	96	97
Ariz., Utah & Nevada.....	104	333	-	80	546	226	90	100
MOUNTAIN.....	277	627	97	79	2,037	707	94	93
Washington & Oregon.....	1,513	3,398	73	90	1,040	569	100	100
California.....	885	493	68	98	2,863	538	99	98
PACIFIC.....	2,398	3,891	71	90	3,203	1,107	29	92
UNITED STATES 2/.....	16,120	15,129	75	86	65,123	23,281	86	71

1/ Space Survey of October 1, 1945.

2/ Weighted average of the occupancy for geographic regions based on the corresponding net piling space.

Table 3. — Public general warehouses in key cities

Net piling space and percentage of space occupied

Cities <sup>1/</sup>	Net piling space <sup>2/</sup>		Space occupied							
			Dec. 1, 1945		Jan. 1, 1946		Dec. 1, 1946		Jan. 1, 1947	
	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer
	("000" cu. ft.)	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.
NEW ENGLAND										
Boston.....	1,414	2,793	48	95	48	89	60	99	53	96
MID. ATLANTIC										
New York.....	15,622	13,954	63	91	66	98	74	90	73	90
Buffalo.....	1,372	2,331	44	87	33	95	65	97	48	96
Rochester.....	5,939	1,466	52	82	53	90	83	89	71	87
Philadelphia.....	4,873	4,226	89	93	83	90	69	97	65	97
Pittsburgh.....	2,311	2,070	89	99	76	98	80	92	73	90
E. N. CENTRAL										
Cleveland.....	4,239	3,443	60	94	53	93	86	88	78	85
Cincinnati.....	1,075	1,241	90	76	89	74	71	96	66	95
Chicago.....	16,798	15,223	55	86	61	81	74	79	60	81
Detroit.....	3,515	2,866	76	81	70	88	87	89	79	84
Milwaukee.....	1,173	976	80	98	73	93	78	97	74	91
W. N. CENTRAL										
Minneapolis.....	918	2,043	68	91	72	91	65	83	52	80
St. Louis.....	4,801	2,998	55	84	55	89	77	83	72	86
Kansas City.....	2,507	2,972	75	70	66	89	76	91	54	92
Omaha.....	725	2,831	47	83	46	90	87	97	82	97
SOUTH ATLANTIC										
Baltimore.....	538	624	50	87	51	89	76	88	66	88
Richmond.....	1,525	465	58	79	54	79	84	89	85	97
Norfolk.....	927	1,033	83	88	84	89	91	88	89	89
E. S. CENTRAL										
Nashville.....	1,217	1,742	95	58	84	32	79	72	80	76
Memphis.....	754	477	82	97	71	94	68	96	49	94
W. S. CENTRAL										
New Orleans.....	921	746	82	97	98	97	85	96	83	95
Dallas-Ft. Worth.....	1,869	2,303	70	80	77	87	90	83	72	87
San Antonio.....	615	880	73	87	74	85	76	90	72	86
Houston.....	848	224	73	97	73	99	75	89	72	98
PACIFIC										
Seattle.....	1,070	2,093	79	86	66	83	75	88	70	86
Portland.....	711	4,205	66	56	34	52	34	75	32	75
Los Angeles.....	3,067	3,101	89	94	81	94	90	91	77	94
San Francisco.....	3,915	2,438	79	92	74	94	88	97	85	97
San Jose.....	2,272	1,218	78	78	50	78	58	78	48	81
TOTAL.....	87,531	82,982	65	86	64	85	77	87	68	87

<sup>1/</sup> Space shown includes public warehouses within a 25 mile radius of city named.<sup>2/</sup> Space survey October 1, 1945.



Table 4. — Apple houses

Net piling space and percentage of space occupied

Regions	Net Piling		Space occupied							
	space 1/		'Jan. 1, 1945		'Jan. 1, 1946		'Dec. 1, 1946		'Jan. 1, 1947	
	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer
	("000" cu. ft.)	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.
New England.....	5,437	56	75	-	7	-	52	-	41	-
Middle Atlantic...	19,021	1,046	77	95	35	81	77	94	64	90
East North Central	4,639	123	80	81	53	87	80	100	73	100
West North Central	1,240	72	77	82	31	28	80	71	66	71
South Atlantic....	16,134	336	86	70	21	68	84	86	70	85
East South Central	307		72	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
West South Central	184	29	80	-	28	-	78	-	61	-
Mountain.....	564		22	100	14	100	-	-	-	-
Pacific.....	47,083	1,822	83	53	59	62	86	71	73	68
U. S. Total 2/....	94,609	3,484	81	84	46	70	82	81	69	81

1/ Space Survey of October 1, 1945.

2/ Weighted average of the occupancy for geographic regions based on the corresponding net piling space.

Table 5. — Apple holdings by states

States	'Jan. 1, 5-yr.'	Jan. 1	'Dec. 1	Jan. 1
	'av. 1942-46	' 1946	' 1946	' 1947
- Thousands of bushels -				
Vt., Mass. & Connecticut.....	1,186	202	1,342	1,004
New York.....	3,747	649	4,705	3,686
New Jersey.....	798	395	809	718
Pennsylvania.....	1,241	507	1,552	1,377
Ohio.....	523	265	478	416
Illinois.....	679	616	1,124	879
Michigan.....	603	176	693	594
Virginia.....	2,406	584	3,792	2,878
West Virginia.....	432	209	924	680
Missouri.....	305	227	595	436
Washington.....	9,963	9,586	13,327	11,234
Oregon.....	640	670	834	792
California.....	1,488	1,425	1,635	1,489
Other States 1/.....	1,194	644	1,603	1,169
U. S. Total.....	25,205	16,155	33,413	27,352

1/ Holdings for states having significant quantities of apples are given above. Other holdings shown under, "Other States".

Table 6. — January 1947 holdings and changes during December 1946 1/

Cooler	Holdings	Net Change		Freezer	Holdings	Net Change	
Commodities	Jan. 1	during Dec.		Commodities	Jan. 1	during Dec.	
	'000" lbs.	'000" lbs.	%		'000" lbs.	'000" lbs.	%
Apples.....	1,312,896	-290,928	-18	Fruits.....	477,577	-20,225	-4
Pears.....	84,550	-54,500	-39	Vegetables....	336,885	-14,589	-4
Dried & ev. Fts.	79,462	9,639	14	Cream.....	48,830	-18,873	-28
Can'd. ft.& Veg.	4,181	412	11	Cream'y butter	27,778	-13,699	-33
Nuts & Nutmeats.	71,995	14,323	25	Eggs.....	104,034	-28,630	-22
Fish*.....	25,280	-78		Poultry.....	318,119	17,089	6
Cheese.....	124,488	1,053	1	Beef.....	137,354	41,505	43
Shell eggs.....	34,875	-42,390	-55	Pork.....	96,062	28,554	42
Dried eggs.....	11,077	-2,127	-16	Sausage.....	6,382	1,880	42
Beef.....	6,562	1,103	20	Lamb & Mutton.	17,344	1,648	10
Pork.....	176,030	33,592	24	Veal.....	12,709	2,926	30
Sausage.....	6,681	242	4	Edible offal..	56,101	17,410	45
Canned meats....	22,155	7,505	51	Lard & fat....	1,450	582	67
Lard & pork fat.	61,809	22,054	55	Fish*.....	132,720	-408	
Other.....	427,405	-32,385	-7	Other.....	23,872	-456	-2
Total.....	2,449,446	-332,485	-12	Total.....	1,797,217	14,714	1

1/ For a detailed breakdown see the following tables.

\* Estimated.

## TOTAL WEIGHT OF COOLER AND FREEZER COMMODITIES, 1945-47

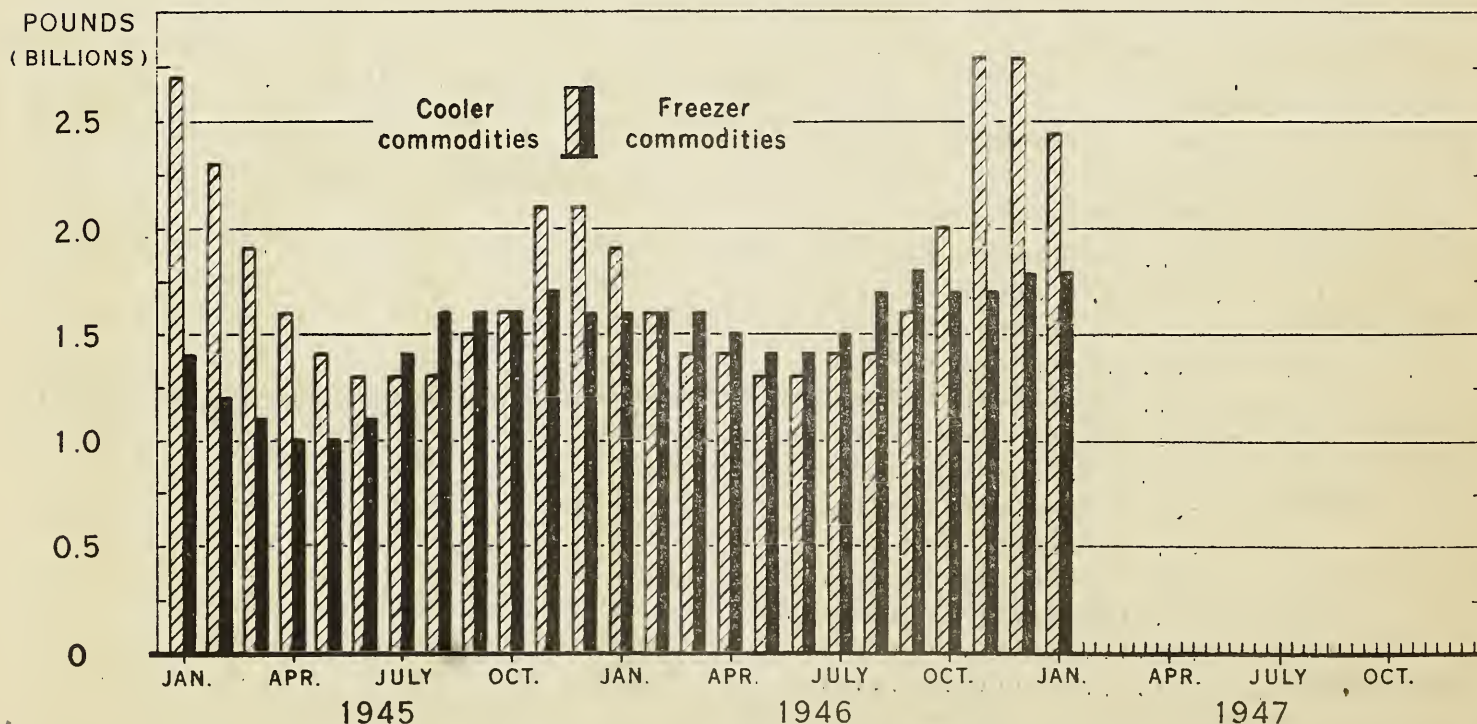




Table 7. — Fresh fruits and vegetables

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 Net changes in stocks during December and comparisons
 

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Fresh apples: Decreased by 6 million bushels; December 1945 change was a decrease of 4 million bushels; 5 year average decrease was 5 million bushels.

Fresh pears: Decreased by 1 million bushels; December 1945 change was a decrease of .9 million bushels; 5 year average decrease was 1 million bushels.

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	'Jan. 1, 5-yr.'	Jan. 1'	Dec. 1'	Jan. 1'
Stocks of fruits and vegetables	'av. 1942-46'	1946'	1946'	1947'

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- Thousands -

## FRESH APPLES

Apples.....barrels	38	1	18	7
Apples.....Western boxes	12,868	12,459	16,898	14,398
Apples.....Eastern boxes	6,574	1,497	8,025	6,256
Apples.....bushel baskets	5,649	2,196	8,436	6,677
Total apples.....bushels	25,205	16,155	33,413	27,352

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## FRESH PEARS

Pears, Bartletts.....packed boxes	26	8	21	10
Pears, Bartletts.....loose boxes	9	1	31	11
Pears, all other varieties..boxes	1,222	1,423	2,667	1,636
Pears.....bushel baskets	59	96	62	34
Total pears.....bushels	1,316	1,528	2,781	1,691

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## OTHER FRUITS &amp; VEGETABLES

Other fresh fruits.....Pounds	14,134	41,749	20,482
Dried & evaporated fruits... "	68,942	69,823	79,462
Canned fruits & vegetables.. "	2,109	3,769	4,181
Potatoes.....Pounds	37,572	45,451	48,506
Onions..... "	60,233	52,702	56,756
Celery..... "	-	14,326	6,850
Other fresh vegetables.....Pounds	64,189	49,602	54,785
Nuts in shell..... "	27,735	11,221	16,532
Nutmeats..... "	53,529	46,451	55,463

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Table 8. — Frozen fruits and vegetables

Net changes in stocks during December and comparisons

Frozen fruits: Decreased by 20 million pounds; December 1945 decrease was 1 million pounds; average December change is a decrease of 13 million pounds.

Frozen vegetables: Decreased by 14 million pounds; December 1945 decrease was 8 million pounds; average December change is a decrease of 11 million pounds.

Stocks of frozen fruits and vegetables	'Jan. 1, 5-yr. 'av. 1942-46	Jan. 1 1946	Dec. 1 1946	Jan. 1 1947
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- Thousands of pounds -

### FROZEN FRUITS

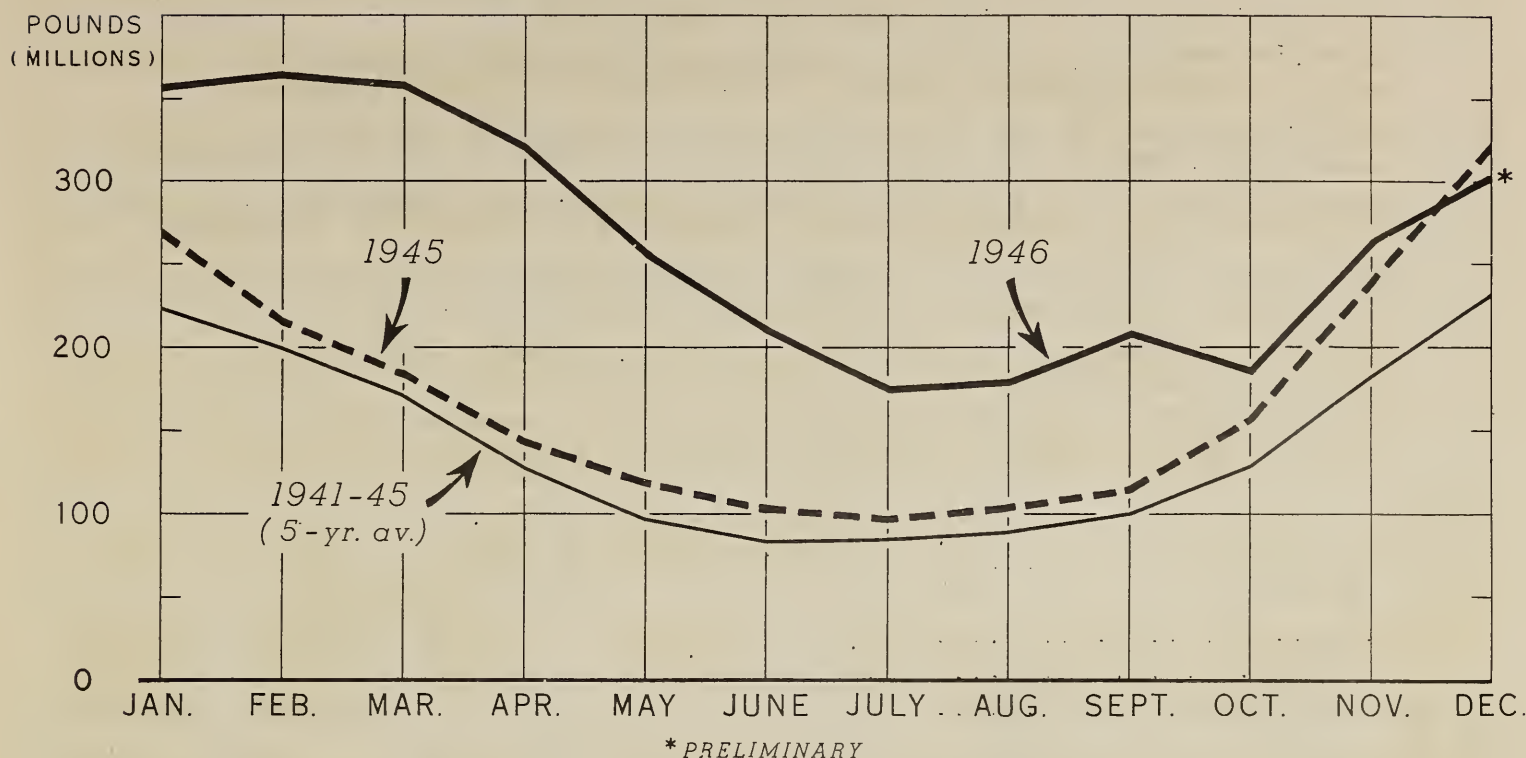
Apples.....	-	55,245	49,120	54,789
Blackberries.....	10,146	18,203	22,116	19,723
Cherries.....	27,818	23,607	71,484	67,217
Young, Logan, Boysen, etc.....	6,184	9,069	15,951	14,364
Raspberries.....	14,697	13,523	25,203	22,918
Strawberries.....	29,473	20,363	49,085	44,277
Grapes.....		17,341	17,183	15,298
Plums and prunes.....		17,411	22,982	22,496
Peaches.....		67,828	63,811	62,032
Fruit juices and purees.....		24,822	31,991	31,023
Apricots.....		29,942	35,242	33,209
Blueberries.....		17,319	15,215	14,846
All other fruits.....	159,123	61,100	78,419	75,380
Total.....	247,441	375,773	497,802	477,577

### FROZEN VEGETABLES

Asparagus.....	6,309	7,736	18,395	17,377
Beans, lima.....	13,852	14,175	27,728	24,617
Beans, snap.....	11,828	16,553	27,958	26,191
Broccoli.....	2,905	5,105	13,494	13,905
Cauliflower.....	-	4,711	7,458	8,097
Corn, sweet.....	14,122	21,323	40,396	38,416
Peas, green.....	40,401	54,613	116,062	103,953
Spinach.....	11,929	16,065	25,326	26,034
Brussels sprouts.....		3,822	5,235	6,494
Pumpkin and squash.....		6,029	12,833	12,248
Baked beans.....		1,338	249	787
Vegetable purees.....		477	88	167
All other vegetables.....	46,693	39,271	56,252	58,599
Total.....	148,039	191,218	351,474	336,885



# SEASONAL MOVEMENT OF FROZEN POULTRY STOCKS, 1941-45 AVERAGE, 1945, AND 1946



U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

NEG. 3017 PRODUCTION AND MARKETING ADMINISTRATION

The storing season for frozen poultry usually begins in June and lasts until the peak is reached in January or February. Supplies of frozen turkeys continue to accumulate until February 1. The season for storing frozen ducks on the other hand is concluded about October 1. In 1946 frozen poultry stocks followed the normal seasonal pattern until September when, storage reserves, due to low meat stocks, moved contra-seasonally out of store by 23 million pounds. Heavy supplies of frozen turkeys moving into storage during November and December offset the September drop in frozen poultry stocks.

At the average January 1942-46 peak, poultry holdings consisted mostly of fowl, roasters and turkeys, which comprised almost two-thirds of total holdings, while fryers, broilers, ducks and miscellaneous poultry made up the remaining one-third. The February 1946 holdings of frozen poultry reached an all-time record high of 364 million pounds. Holdings of 135 million pounds of frozen turkeys--the greatest quantity of frozen turkeys ever stored--were largely responsible for this 1946 record.

In recent years the beginning of the poultry storage season has tended to occur earlier. From 1916 when data were first compiled to about 1935 the low-point in poultry stocks was reached usually between September 1 and October 1. Since 1935, the seasonal low for poultry holdings has occurred on June 1 or July 1. Poultry stocks at the 1942-46 average peak were about three times as great as stocks at the average peak for the first five years that figures were compiled. Since data were first gathered, fowl and turkeys have shown the most significant gains in storage holdings. The 1942-46 five-year average turkey holdings at the peak were ten times as great as a similar 5-year average 1917 to 1921; stocks of fowl were three times as great in the 1942-46 period as in the earlier years. Peak stocks of roasters and fryers have been doubled since the years, 1917-1921, while the increase in holdings of broilers has been relatively small.

Table 9. — Dairy and poultry products

## Net changes in stocks during December and comparisons

Cream: Decreased by 19 million pounds; December 1945 decrease was 5 million pounds; average December change is a decrease of 4 million pounds.
Butter: Decreased by 13 million pounds; December 1945 decrease was 56 million pounds; average December change is a decrease of 33 million pounds.
Cheese: Increased by 1 million pounds; December 1945 change was a decrease of 47 million pounds; average December change is a decrease of 18 million pounds.
Shell eggs: Decreased by .9 million cases; December 1945 decrease was .2 million cases; average December change is a decrease of .8 million cases.
Frozen eggs: Decreased by 29 million pounds; December 1945 decrease was 27 million pounds; average December change is a decrease of 46 million pounds.
Frozen poultry: Increased by 17 million pounds; December 1945 increase was 35 million pounds; average December change is an increase of 20 million pounds.

Stocks of dairy and poultry products	Unit	'Jan. 1, 5-yr. 'av. 1942-46	Jan. 1 1946	'Dec. 1 1946	'Jan. 1 1947
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## CREAM &amp; MILK

- Thousands -

Fluid..... lb.)	16,963	7,402	49,832	34,522
Plastic..... lb.)		2,795	17,821	14,308
Cond. & evaporated milk.....			72,993	55,590

## BUTTER

Creamery..... lb.	81,577	53,127	41,477	27,778
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## CHEESE

American..... lb.	135,840	112,896	92,422	94,131
Swiss including block..... lb.	2,920	1,049	1,575	2,225
Brick and Munster..... lb.	477	72	388	402
All other varieties..... lb.	16,779	12,994	29,050	27,730
Total cheese..... lb.	156,016	127,011	123,435	124,438

## EGGS

Shell..... case	404	113	1,717	775
Frozen eggs, total 1/..... lb.	115,223	129,424	132,664	104,034
Whites..... lb.	18,348	11,342	37,410	30,846
Yolks..... lb.	13,334	8,501	26,741	21,274
Whole..... lb.	62,171	84,100	55,157	42,001
Unclassified..... lb.	21,370	25,481	13,356	9,913
Dried eggs, total..... lb.		19,935	13,204	11,077
Whole..... lb.		19,886	12,466	10,330
Yolk..... lb.		29	711	682
Albumen..... lb.		20	27	15
Total eggs 1/..... case		5,558	6,575	4,657

## FROZEN POULTRY

Broilers..... lb.	11,686	13,388	9,295	8,793
Fryers..... lb.	19,904	29,431	16,249	16,399
Roasters..... lb.	44,885	60,338	29,971	30,502
Fowls..... lb.	66,911	85,947	72,296	73,278
Turkeys..... lb.	60,603	108,181	116,695	130,083
Lucks..... lb.	3,932	3,310	5,692	4,181
Miscellaneous..... lb.	21,773	19,724	14,688	15,178
Unclassified poultry..... lb.	21,802	35,595	36,144	39,705
Total poultry..... lb.	251,486	355,914	301,030	318,119

1/ Frozen eggs are converted on the basis of 37.5 pounds to the case and dried eggs on the basis of 10 pounds to the case. Dried eggs are not included in 5-yr. av. for total eggs.



Table 10. — Dairy and poultry holdings by states January 1, 1947

States	Cream		'Creamery 'butter	'American' 'cheese	Shell 'eggs	'Frozen' 'eggs	Total 'Poultry
	'Fluid	'Plastic'					
	' lbs.	' lbs.					
- Thousands -							
Massachusetts.....	943	372	601	663	8	2,518	14,840
Other States.....			279	11	6	1,146	2,457
NEW ENGLAND.....			871	674	14	3,664	17,297
New York.....	9,883	1,504	3,968	4,058	94	9,617	40,760
New Jersey.....	2,875	28	1,288	2,822	114	5,749	18,765
Pennsylvania.....	2,521	489	1,798	1,008	38	5,437	11,162
MIDDLE ATLANTIC.....			7,054	7,888	246	20,803	70,637
Ohio.....	1,986	632	3,065	488	9	4,865	9,093
Indiana.....	278	15	578	347	2	2,983	1,337
Illinois.....	2,701	1,350	2,417	1,996	178	17,394	72,072
Michigan.....	1,422	419	515	536	62	2,296	6,032
Wisconsin.....	1,846	49	253	60,746	9	1,327	2,868
EAST NORTH CENTRAL.....			6,823	64,113	260	22,370	91,457
Minnesota.....	3,110	199	1,633	1,848	6	2,322	13,745
Iowa.....	233		737	515	-	1,898	12,022
Missouri.....	700	2,847	1,883	7,029	23	9,409	24,051
Dakotas.....			53	35	-	96	271
Nebraska.....			1,490	65	17	6,955	24,324
Kansas.....			347	586	5	5,449	5,054
WEST NORTH CENTRAL.....			6,143	10,078	51	26,129	79,967
SOUTH ATLANTIC.....			981	1,455	39	4,690	9,951
Kentucky.....			785	-	13	284	1,193
Tennessee.....			1,032	1,155	11	1,118	1,102
Ala. and Mississippi.....			161	15	2	355	657
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL.....			1,978	1,170	26	1,737	2,952
Arkansas & Louisiana.....			492	45	2	938	1,433
Oklahoma.....			133	-	3	1,287	1,572
Texas.....	202	949	392	2,105	13	5,613	4,162
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL.....			1,017	2,150	18	7,838	7,167
Colorado.....			228	24	2	549	1,928
Other States.....			229	2,063	6	1,092	3,998
MOUNTAIN.....			456	2,087	8	1,641	5,926
Washington.....			711	133	26	1,407	8,055
Oregon.....			155	1,143	6	1,252	7,526
California.....	1,331	3,086	1,581	3,240	81	6,003	17,134
PACIFIC.....			2,450	4,516	113	8,662	32,715
Other States, cream only.....	4,389	2,369					
STATES.....	34,522	14,308	27,778	94,131	775	104,034	319,116

Table 11. — Fishery products 1/

Species	'Jan. 1, 5-yr.' 'av. 1942-46'	Jan. 1 1946	'Dec. 1' 1946	Jan. 1 1947
- Thousands of pounds -				
<u>Salt-water fish: frozen</u>				
Bait and animal food.....	1,904	2,131	1,897	1,937
Bluefish.....	143	156	177	128
Butterfish.....	952	508	665	632
Cod, had'k, hake, pollock, whole.....	2,511	3,378	1,489	1,539
Croakers.....	1,377	649	547	458
Eels.....	279	344	343	296
Filletts (miscellaneous).....	13,842	21,151	37,026	39,221
Flounders (inc. filletts).....	1,623	3,307	3,121	3,060
Halibut.....	8,293	8,959	16,290	13,677
Herring, sea.....	1,724	1,189	3,025	2,323
Mackerel (Boston)(inc. filletts).....	7,755	9,066	3,242	2,431
Mullet.....	2,325	2,477	1,963	1,334
Sablefish (black cod).....	2,941	4,123	6,601	6,712
Salmon (all species).....	10,633	17,090	21,971	19,049
Scup (porgies).....	1,229	1,263	834	695
Sea trout (weakfish, gray and spotted)	781	1,260	1,012	813
Shad and shad roe.....	921	746	463	423
Smelts (sea).....	903	1,396	1,157	922
Swordfish.....	747	1,761	1,123	1,077
Whiting (inc. filletts).....	10,563	14,133	10,436	9,652
Miscellaneous salt-water fish.....	12,795	12,339	13,585	13,288
<u>Fresh-water fish: frozen</u>				
Bait and animal food.....	949	1,546	978	2,434
Blue pike & sauger (inc. filletts).....	1,142	206	208	224
Catfish and bullheads.....	264	360	358	483
Chubs.....	633	1,082	398	451
Lake herring & cisco (inc. filletts)...	3,627	5,065	2,767	3,572
Lake trout.....	711	570	583	490
Pickrel, jacks or yellow jacks.....	506	150	83	66
Sturgeon and spoonbill cat.....	338	104	493	539
Suckers.....	34	13	29	21
Tullibee.....	301	290	330	380
Yellow perch (inc. filletts).....	458	99	618	824
Yellow pike (or wall-eye)(inc. filletts)	315	272	183	159
Whitefish.....	1,325	1,174	1,599	1,520
Miscellaneous fresh-water fish.....	1,881	1,334	2,201	1,338
<u>Shellfish: frozen</u>				
Lobster tails (spiny lobster).....	335	303	802	819
Scallops.....	777	1,039	2,349	2,236
Shrimp.....	9,732	15,825	13,760	13,513
Squid.....	918	1,866	1,190	1,060
Miscellaneous shellfish.....	1,038	1,484	2,590	2,457
Frozen fish, total.....	109,525	140,208	158,486	152,853
Cured fish, total.....	15,589	18,936	28,411	23,541
Total, all fish.....	125,114	159,144	186,897	176,394

1/ Data furnished by the Department of the Interior-Fish and Wildlife Service, which publishes a report giving detailed information, species and geographical sections.



Table 12. — Meats and meat products

## Net changes in stocks during December and comparisons

Beef increased by 43 million pounds; December 1945 increased by 7 million pounds; average December change is an increase of 11 million pounds.

Pork increased by 62 million pounds; December 1945 increased by 85 million pounds; average December change is an increase of 117 million pounds.

Other meats increased by 31 million pounds; December 1945 increased by 16 million pounds; average December change is an increase of 19 million pounds.

Lard increased by 22 million pounds; December 1945 increased by 24 million pounds; average December change is an increase of 21 million pounds.

Stocks of meats and meat products	'Jan. 1, 5-yr. av. 1942-46	Jan. 1 1946	Dec. 1 1946	Jan. 1 1947

- Thousands of pounds -

## BEEF

Frozen.....	140,804	163,696	95,736	137,194
In cure, cured and smoked.....	13,332	10,545	5,572	6,722
Total beef.....	154,136	174,241	101,308	143,916

## PORK

Frozen.....	169,563	122,852	64,584	92,465
Dry salt in cure and cured.....	73,643	30,906	18,331	35,516
Other in cure, cured & smoked.....	189,839	166,813	127,031	144,111
Total pork.....	433,045	320,571	209,946	272,092

## OTHER MEATS AND MEAT PRODUCTS

Sausage and sausage room products....	-	20,804	10,941	13,063
Frozen lamb and mutton.....	22,703	17,406	15,696	17,344
Frozen veal.....	-	12,124	9,783	12,709
Canned meats & meat products.....	-	18,072	14,650	22,155
All edible offal 1/.....	81,126	40,810	38,691	56,101
Total other meats & meat products...	103,829	109,216	89,761	121,372

Total all meats 1/..... 691,010 604,028 401,015 537,380

## LARD AND RENDERED PORK FAT

Lard.....)	124,189	80,259	37,559	59,775
Rendered pork fat.....)		2,567	3,064	3,484
Total.....		82,826	40,623	63,259

HIDES & PELTS..... - 91,659 56,197 59,964

1/ Current figures not entirely comparable with 5-yr. av..

Table 13. — Cold storage holdings, January 1, 1947 by geographic regions

Commodity	Unit	New England	Middle Atlantic	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain	Pacific	Total
- Thousands -											
FROZEN FRUITS											
Apples.....	Pounds	1,928	17,393	10,041	5,895	4,015	921	1,705	2,786	10,105	54,789
Blackberries.....	"	587	3,828	4,460	1,397	1,062	933	1,234	385	5,837	19,723
Cherries.....	"	1,166	20,372	25,979	6,793	1,795	1,027	1,933	1,998	6,154	67,217
Young, Logan, Boysen, etc.....	"	265	1,700	2,082	994	87	44	301	253	8,638	14,364
Pastberries.....	"	1,791	6,666	5,447	1,357	301	767	249	295	5,525	22,918
Strawberries.....	"	2,801	12,674	6,995	4,127	2,821	1,961	2,445	676	9,777	44,277
Grapes.....	"	43	4,924	6,980	833	-	79	77	502	1,860	15,298
Plums and prunes.....	"	587	5,265	5,422	1,219	317	305	356	466	9,559	22,496
Peaches.....	"	2,250	15,262	12,518	5,583	6,311	2,005	1,751	3,100	13,247	62,032
Fruit juices and purees.....	"	773	11,951	6,380	1,692	2,396	108	751	526	6,445	31,028
Apricots.....	"	178	5,239	9,292	5,059	841	284	1,636	1,258	9,422	33,209
Blueberries.....	"	1,625	5,735	4,391	776	610	37	99	224	1,349	14,846
All other fruits.....	"	3,908	20,634	18,879	4,822	2,891	1,252	3,521	1,196	18,277	75,380
FROZEN VEGETABLES											
Asparagus.....	Pounds	538	6,805	2,887	1,332	1,041	86	268	428	3,992	17,377
Beans, lima.....	"	589	10,959	3,236	1,610	3,377	359	249	347	3,891	24,617
Beans, snap.....	"	852	11,992	3,398	1,280	1,579	411	360	224	6,095	26,191
Broccoli.....	"	436	4,654	2,005	514	765	76	269	109	5,077	13,905
Cauliflower.....	"	150	2,304	889	312	393	10	59	22	3,958	8,097
Corn, sweet.....	"	844	14,339	5,025	4,199	2,667	612	426	400	9,904	38,416
Peas, green.....	"	2,628	38,299	14,937	7,697	3,154	486	1,444	2,295	32,013	103,953
Spinach.....	"	1,278	9,996	3,808	1,995	1,525	165	415	367	6,485	26,034
Brussels sprouts.....	"	274	1,862	824	431	379	51	101	32	2,540	6,494
Pumpkin and squash.....	"	507	2,944	2,523	1,865	257	2	62	80	4,008	12,248
Baked beans.....	"	37	537	89	22	19	-	-	2	81	787
Vegetable purees.....	"	-	57	1	11	86	2	-	1	9	167
All other vegetables.....	"	765	20,911	6,365	11,312	2,752	3,045	579	602	12,268	58,599
FRUITS & VEGETABLES											
Fresh apples.....	Bushels	1,113	5,730	2,191	623	3,778	170	142	91	13,514	27,352
Fresh pears.....	"	1	87	50	1	8	4	15	1	1,524	1,691
Other fresh fruits.....	Pounds	124	2,225	2,111	1,063	196	573	625	853	12,712	20,482
Dried & evaporated fruits.....	"	2,325	46,506	11,089	5,440	5,152	1,295	1,818	121	5,716	79,462
Canned fruits & vegetables.....	"	-	2,867	277	558	434	1	19	-	25	4,181
Potatoes.....	"	56	2,429	4,652	13,638	4,483	563	3,415	1,376	17,894	48,506
Onions.....	"	40	33,192	4,171	471	649	24	1,073	-	17,136	56,756
Celery.....	"	58	5,557	983	114	42	2	30	14	50	6,850
Other fresh vegetables.....	"	253	25,066	21,977	823	606	371	749	1	4,939	54,785
Nuts in shell.....	"	70	3,404	3,730	1,909	3,646	87	3,083	8	595	16,532
Nutmeats.....	"	4,006	10,711	28,232	1,580	3,829	379	703	309	5,714	55,463

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Table Cold storage holdings, January 1, 1947 by geographic regions (con'd.)

Commodity	Unit	New England	Middle Atlantic	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic	East South Central	West South Central	Pacific	Total
<b>DAIRY PRODUCTS AND EGGS</b>										
- Thousands -										
Cream (not including plastic).....	Pounds	1,154	15,279	8,335	4,365	2,075	1,123	634	1,415	34,522
Cream, plastic.....	"	742	2,022	2,266	3,239	850	344	1,029	3,509	14,308
Condensed milk.....	"	4,183	11,223	17,175	6,724	5,182	2,733	2,907	5,094	55,590
Butter, creamery.....	"	871	7,054	6,828	6,143	981	1,978	1,017	2,450	27,778
Cheese American cheddar.....	"	674	7,886	64,113	10,078	1,455	1,170	2,150	4,516	94,131
Cheese, Swiss, incl. block.....	"	-	268	1,812	18	21	1	31	29	2,225
Cheese, Brick and Munster.....	"	-	70	135	12	42	-	-	143	402
Cheese, all other varieties.....	"	736	14,512	6,150	1,180	379	918	1,588	2,029	27,730
Eggs, shell.....	Cases	14	246	250	51	39	26	18	113	775
Eggs, frozen (total).....	Pounds	3,664	20,803	28,870	26,129	4,690	1,737	7,838	8,562	104,034
Eggs, dried (total).....	"	-	2,358	5,273	3,263	60	-	1	122	11,077
<b>FROZEN POULTRY</b>										
Broilers.....	Pounds	618	1,279	2,018	3,102	184	17	145	1,361	8,793
Fryers.....	"	614	2,348	4,667	5,809	1,355	103	331	949	16,399
Roasters.....	"	2,735	10,328	8,042	7,353	384	91	162	1,169	30,502
Poultry.....	"	3,826	13,654	18,957	28,165	1,701	342	2,288	3,727	73,278
Turkeys.....	"	8,318	31,649	31,375	24,233	4,508	812	3,272	21,904	130,083
Ducks.....	"	237	1,222	1,428	161	180	21	55	140	4,181
Miscellaneous.....	"	844	4,744	5,339	2,429	137	242	359	1,024	15,178
Unclassified.....	"	105	4,763	19,131	8,715	1,502	1,324	555	2,441	39,705
<b>MEATS &amp; LARD</b>										
Beef, frozen.....	Pounds	4,614	18,989	31,071	47,775	6,774	3,313	13,539	9,897	137,194
Beef, in cure, cured & smoked.....	"	62	1,074	2,264	2,681	296	30	193	100	6,722
Pork, frozen.....	"	2,333	8,641	24,705	38,847	5,147	3,558	3,872	3,831	92,465
Dry Salt Pork, in cure & cured.....	"	833	1,564	11,811	15,583	3,012	455	1,326	720	35,516
All other pork, in cure & cured.....	"	4,321	11,022	40,528	67,891	5,619	1,998	5,245	5,200	144,111
Sausage room products.....	"	1,511	2,666	2,896	1,964	1,062	863	422	1,237	13,063
Lamb and mutton, frozen.....	"	765	3,285	6,238	3,977	549	261	1,051	950	17,344
Veal, frozen.....	"	616	1,237	3,222	2,402	661	246	3,370	812	12,709
Canned meats and meat products.....	"	131	3,449	4,850	10,564	409	2	973	1,561	22,155
All edible offal.....	"	817	4,369	20,783	19,893	1,805	1,220	5,588	1,134	56,101
Lard.....	"	2,414	3,006	19,764	27,582	2,919	891	942	1,855	59,775
Rendered pork fat.....	"	69	25	1,439	1,757	61	2	35	64	3,484
Hides & pelts.....	"	-	4,005	18,915	27,145	1,921	331	3,083	2,993	59,964
Fish.....	"	34,139	29,998	20,902	8,109	10,659	6,250	4,000	38,081	152,853

\* Included fish in Alaska.

Table 14. — Commodities held by the Government, January 1, 1947 by geographic regions 1/

Commodity	Unit	New England	Middle Atlantic	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain Pacific	Total
- Thousands -										
FRUITS & VEGETABLES										
Apples and pears.....	Bushels	-	80	7	2	-	-	-	25	114
Potatoes.....	Pounds	-	292	-	12,102	-	-	-	1,893	14,287
Other fresh fruits & vegetables.....	"	-	1,026	-	-	-	-	-	1,213	2,239
Frozen fruit.....	"	23	40	-	43	10	-	-	222	338
Frozen vegetables.....	"	56	73	-	-	35	-	1	1,663	1,828
Dried fruits.....	"	-	31	-	-	-	-	10	-	41
DAIRY & POULTRY										
Butter, creamery.....	Pounds	150	441	1,225	1,755	129	115	105	34	453
American cheese.....	"	6	877	861	154	16	120	-	31	100
Shell eggs.....	Cases	1	35	1	-	-	-	-	-	8
Frozen eggs.....	Pounds	8	98	-	271	50	-	-	-	162
Dried eggs.....	"	-	353	4,860	2,404	-	-	-	-	589
Poultry.....	"	831	3,499	3,144	7,655	157	34	307	349	1,640
MEATS AND MEAT PRODUCTS										
Beef.....	Pounds	361	1,180	254	1,729	73	9	165	48	492
Pork.....	"	275	917	665	1,230	10	32	190	32	376
Sausage & lunch meat.....	"	678	595	11	177	48	31	203	-	223
Lamb & mutton.....	"	83	264	1	27	2	-	10	42	260
Veal.....	"	185	247	29	101	5	-	-	-	105
Edible offal.....	"	-	-	18	-	-	-	34	-	2
Lard & rendered pork fat.....	"	5	55	-	-	24	-	-	-	3
FISH										
FISH.....	Pounds	23	47	4	25	108	-	-	-	45
252										

1/ No estimates are included in the above figures. An endeavor is made to obtain figures from all concerns. However, late reports of some concerns may cause significant revisions of some items in some regions.



Table 15. — Commodities held by the Government\*

Commodity	Unit	'Jan. 1, 5-yr. 'av. 1942-46	Jan. 1 1946	'Dec. 1 1946	Jan. 1 1947**
- Thousands -					
FRUITS & VEGETABLES					
Apples and pears.....	bu.		1,230	195	114
Potatoes.....	lb.		1,781	18,071	14,287
Other fresh fruits & vegetables..	lb.		5,879	1,488	2,239
Frozen fruits.....	lb.		14,680	1,252	338
Frozen vegetables.....	lb.		4,868	821	1,828
Dried fruits.....	lb.		11,685	414	41
Total.....	lb.		97,933	31,406	24,205
DAIRY & POULTRY					
Butter, creamery.....	lb.	35,124	27,875	7,211	4,412
American cheese.....	lb.	48,192	39,700	4,732	2,165
Shell eggs.....	case	125	51	35	15
Frozen eggs.....	lb.	29,315	61,670	3,638	539
Dried eggs.....	lb.		18,404	11,151	7,617
Poultry.....	lb.		18,678	17,272	17,616
Total.....	lb.	118,256	168,622	45,579	34,124
MEATS & MEAT PRODUCTS					
Beef.....	lb.		30,240	4,671	1,311
Pork.....	lb.	17,694	10,333	1,731	3,727
Sausage & lunch meat.....	lb.		7,901	1,667	1,966
Lamb & mutton.....	lb.		1,798	278	689
Veal.....	lb.		2,202	1,068	672
Edible orfal.....	lb.		455	4	54
Lard & rendered pork fat.....	lb.	27,698	32,813	339	87
Total.....	lb.	45,392	85,742	9,758	11,506
FISH.....	lb.		2,066	637	252
TOTAL WEIGHT.....	lb.	163,648	354,363	87,380	70,387

\* Government holdings are included in the tables of total holdings elsewhere in the report and consist of reported stocks held by USDA, the armed services and other Government agencies. In addition to stocks reported above, the armed services hold some stocks in space owned and operated by them on which figures are not available. Current figures not entirely comparable with 5-yr. av..

\*\* Estimates on government holdings are not included. Current figures will be revised for late reports next month.

